

### SAYS MEXICAN POLICY IS NOW BEARING FRUIT

Governor of Texas Assures Wilson Conditions are Improving Under Carranza.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Gov. Ferguson of Texas yesterday gave President Wilson an optimistic view of conditions along the Mexican border and in Mexico itself. The governor told the president that the recognition of Gen. Carranza had gone far toward the resumption of order, and he predicted the speedy elimination of Gen. Villa in revolutionary affairs.

"Texas has been Belgium of the southwest for a long time, and we have had great difficulty in dealing with the situation," said Gov. Ferguson. "With the recognition of Gen. Carranza, the federal government and the state of Texas can now cooperate to meet the situation adequately."

Drastic measures, the Mexican embassy was advised yesterday, to prevent the spread of typhus fever in Mexico City

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have been taken by the governor of the federal district. Advice to the embassy say the epidemic is not as bad as previously reported.

Gov. Lopez de Lara again has called for a regulation of the prices of foodstuffs and clothing. It is said prices have increased to points almost beyond the reach of the poor, largely because of the manipulation of exchange by brokers. Six captured thieves, who had been murdering as army officers, are to be publicly executed as an example, the advice state.

### TO BLOCK GERMAN INTRIGUE IN FAR EAST

Gray Intimates to Commons that Government is Looking Into Situation in Canada.

London, Dec. 8.—Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs, intimated in the House of Commons yesterday that the British government earnestly was considering means for blocking "German intrigue" in China generally and in the British colonies in the far east and in the foreign concessions in China.

Replying to the question whether, "having assisted in turning the Germans out of their larger possessions at Tsingtau, the government could not proceed to turn them out of their smaller places," Sir Edward said the question was one that could not be easily disposed of, but the danger of German machinations was anxiously considered.

### TO RESTRICT ALIEN FLOW

Sen. Dillingham Proposes to Exclude Those Unable to Read in Some Language

ALSO TO LIMIT INFLUX TO 10 PER CENT. NOW IN

Temporary Visitors, Returning Aliens, Those Coming to Join Relatives Exempt

(From The Times' Washington Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—Senator Dillingham of Vermont, chairman of the former immigration commission which strongly recommended that immigration be restricted, has introduced a bill which provides that male aliens over 16 years of age who cannot read in some language or dialect shall be excluded from the United States. The bill also provides that the number of aliens of any nationality who may be admitted to the United States in any fiscal year shall not exceed 10 per centum of the number of persons of such nationality resident in the United States at the time of the federal census next preceding. Temporary visitors, returning aliens, and aliens coming to join relatives already here may be admitted in excess of the per centum limit, and the secretary of labor is authorized to admit aliens without reference to the per centum provision or the reading test when such action is justifiable as a measure of humanity.

A new feature in the bill is the provision that neither the per centum limit, the contract labor law, or the reading test shall be applicable to aliens coming as actual agricultural settlers under conditions prescribed by the secretary of labor. Unlike the bills vetoed by Presidents Cleveland, Taft and Wilson, in all of which the reading or literacy test applied to both sexes, the Dillingham bill proposes that such test shall apply only to males.

The per centum limit, which was first proposed by Senator Dillingham in the last Congress, definitely limits the number of immigrant aliens who can be admitted from any country, and its effect would be to reduce immigration from southern and eastern Europe considerably below the average in recent years without interfering with the normal movement from western European countries. The approximate effect the per centum limit provision would have on immigration from various countries is shown in round numbers as follows:

Country.	Average Annual Immigration, 1911-14.	Number Admitted Under the Bill.
Germany	32,500	250,400
United Kingdom	86,900	257,800
France	8,900	11,800
Norway	9,900	23,700
Sweden	16,400	66,800
Austria-Hungary	217,700	167,200
Russia	217,000	173,000
Italy	222,300	134,400
Greece	26,000	10,200

There were in round numbers, 2,504,000 natives of Germany in the United States in 1910 and therefore 250,400 could be admitted from that country annually under the 10 per centum limit until the census of 1920 furnishes a new basis for computation. But as the normal immigration from Germany is now only about 22,500 annually it is highly improbable that the limit would be reached in any year. On the other hand there were only 1,672,000 natives of Austria-Hungary here in 1910 and the number admissible from that country until 1920 would be 167,200 annually, or about 50,000 less than the average in recent years. Immigration from Italy would be cut down considerably more, and that from Russia somewhat less, while the normal movement from Greece would be reduced more than one-half.

It is provided that transportation companies shall be subject to a fine of \$100 for each alien brought to the United States in excess of the maximum number allowed.

### HARVARD MEN INDICTED IN REGISTRATION CASE

Members of Faculty and Students Are Named—Nearly 200 Are Involved.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 8.—Politicians of Cambridge, members of Harvard faculty and Harvard students, including some who are taking courses in theology, appeared at the office of District Attorney Curran in East Cambridge yesterday to submit to arrest.

They were notified they had been indicted by the Middlesex county grand jury, which is conducting an inquiry into illegal registration and illegal assessments in Cambridge.

It is said nearly 200 are involved. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of nine citizens. In all cases those indicted were notified to appear yesterday at the office of the district attorney.

Among those indicted are: Herbert B. Harris, lawyer. Paul E. Colson, assistant professor in physics at Harvard. Lemuel P. Hill, representative-elect. Hale G. Knight, assistant to Prof. William R. Mann of the department of government at Harvard. Arthur K. Reading, chairman of the Wendell P. Rockwood campaign committee. Thomas K. Blaker of the Harvard law school. Rev. Edward E. Atkinson, Harvard graduate, class of '85. James R. Ward.

Operation Unlikely. Chicago, Dec. 8.—Miss Jane Addams probably will not be operated on, Dr. James B. Herrick said yesterday, in announcing that the widely known peace advocate and settlement worker is suffering from a hemorrhage of the kidney.

### SALTS IF KIDNEYS OR BLADDER BOTHER

Harmless to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids

Kidney and bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs, which then act normally again.

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Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.

### McCOOMBS CAN SEE NO CLOUD

All Is Well with the Democrats, Says Their Chairman—Conference Will Select Convention City.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Democratic national committee met here yesterday to fix the time and place of the next Democratic national convention, elect a secretary, dispose of contests for membership from Kentucky and Oregon, and transact such other business as might come before it, including the reception of advocates for and against woman suffrage. Of the three cities in the field for the convention, St. Louis claimed priority. Its delegates professed confidence that the committee would decide in its favor on the second or third ballot.

Chairman McCombs, addressing the committee, said: "To my mind there is no cloud on the Democratic horizon, and it is the duty of this committee to see that no cloud shall gather. I shall work with unremitting and undiminished effort to continue the success we have had heretofore, and I want your suggestions and your co-operation."

Thomas J. Pence, assistant to the chairman, was elected secretary pro tempore. Mr. Pence told the committee there was no truth in reports of discord between Mr. McCombs and himself; that he and the chairman had been and would continue to be in harmony.

After a short open meeting, the committee went into executive session to decide the contests from Kentucky and Oregon. The Kentucky case was the first to come up. The committee remained in session during the hour set for President Wilson's address to Congress. It was thought likely that the convention city would be selected late in the day.

Argument on the Kentucky contest was opened by Gen. G. Haldeman, who spoke in his own behalf. His counsel, Judge Robert W. Bingham, followed with a more extended address. Urey Woodson, who is contesting with Haldeman, spoke briefly for himself. Members of the committee then took up the discussion.

Although the Dallas men maintained that they had no intention of abandoning their fight for the convention, several expressed the private opinion that their chances of winning were slight. The belief became more prevalent that St. Louis would get the convention.

Via Berlin (Uncensored).

For the real, old German frankfurter, try the Baltimore Cafe. The allies can't touch it.—adv.

### PEACE ADVOCATES MAKE TROUBLE

Reports of Peace Riots in Berlin Reach New York.

New York, Dec. 8.—Trustworthy confidential advice which reached New York late Monday, tell briefly of serious rioting in Berlin caused not by the food shortage but by peace advocates who in great numbers demanded to stop the war.

The riots occurred on Thursday last, but it was more than two days later before the foregoing message could be smuggled across the German frontier.

### COLD WEATHER RHEUMATISM

Why should rheumatism, a disease of the blood, be worse in cold weather than in summer?

The rheumatic poison in the blood is the predisposing cause of the disease. If you have the taint in your blood you may have rheumatism whenever the exciting cause stirs it to action. Cold weather and dampness are exciting causes of rheumatism. They excite to action something already in the blood, something that you must get rid of if you would be free from rheumatism.

What this something is, nobody knows. Not very long ago it was thought to be uric acid. Many doctors now think it is a poisonous organism or a specific bacillus, but they cannot find the bacillus. It is a known fact that in rheumatism the blood becomes thin rapidly, that building up the blood relieves the rheumatism and that there will be no return of the rheumatism as long as the condition of the blood is maintained. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are recommended for rheumatism because they keep the blood rich and red and free from rheumatic poisons.

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### NEW HAVEN 300 PIECES

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COMBINATION A NECESSITY

Mr. Mellen Tells How the Various Lines Were Acquired

New York, Dec. 8.—Technically under cross-examination as government witness, but obviously responsive to the questions put to him by counsel for the defense, Charles S. Mellen continued his testimony yesterday at the trial of the 11 former directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, charged with criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

There were originally more than 200 "pieces" of railroad in the New Haven railroad system, said Mr. Mellen in answer to questions by Charles F. Choate, designed to show the jury that the combination of these independent roads under New Haven control became an economic necessity.

The New Haven road itself—a low grade line, following the line of least resistance between New York and Boston—was the natural nucleus of the combination, he explained.

"It was by far the most economical line for heavy freight between the Hudson river and Boston," said the former New Haven president. "I have often said that if ever the New Haven sought to do business at cost the other roads in New England would go into the hands of a receiver."

The witness pointed on a map the roads that the New Haven had absorbed when he first became connected with it in

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1892 as vice president. Then, on a larger map, he indicated to the jury how at that time the New York Central and the Pennsylvania railroads had also begun to absorb other roads.

### Savage Women Healthy

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